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In response to the Office action mailed October 19, 2001, please enter the following amendment and consider the following remarks.

AMENDMENTS

Please delete the present "Related Applications" section in its entirety and replace it with the following amendment:

This patent application is a continuation-in-part of U.S. Patent Application No. 09/060,669, filed April 15, 1998, now U.S. Patent No. 6,192,802, which is a continuation-in-part of U.S. Patent Application No. 08/518,169, filed August 24, 1995, now U.S. Patent No. 5,847,309. This application claims priority from United States Provisional Patent Application No. 60/206,864, filed May 24, 2000. The disclosures of these priority